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Spring Dress Goods by the thousands of yards, both in staple weaves and choice novelties. The range of prices is such that every purse can be catered to and at the same time get the best of value for the money expended.

All-Wool Panamas as low as 50c yard.
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Especially Rich-Looking Wool Pneu de Sole, \$1.25 yard, 42 inches wide, in monotone plaid, effects of electric blue, navy, brown, Russian green and black—the plaids, while being of the same tone as the ground of the fabrics, contrast just enough to produce a handsome effect.
Big variety of Suitings, including Herringbone, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 yard. Monotone Stripes at \$1, and Shadow Stripes at \$1.25.
Serges are also good. Hairline, 45 inches wide, in black, brown and navy, are \$1 yard; Two-Tone Stripes, \$1.25 yard.

May Manton Patterns, 10c; by mail, 12c.

DEMANDS REDUCED BY TWO AND HALF MILLION

Finance Committee Forced to Take Steps to Keep Expenditures Within City's Income.

MUST PRACTICE ECONOMY

Effort to Check Salary Grab Not of Much Avail—A Glance at the Situation.

Notwithstanding the fact that 50 per cent. of the requests for increased appropriations are meritorious and 25 per cent. almost necessary, the Finance Committee of the Council will be forced to strike out demands aggregating \$2,500,000. The budget for 1908, which will not differ materially from that of last year, must be kept within the total of the receipts of the city, which amount to about \$2,300,000.

The Budget Committee, consisting of Aldermen J. B. Wood, chairman, and Councilmen H. R. Pollard, Jr., and Gilbert K. Pollock, practically concluded its work last night. A report will be submitted to the Finance Committee for approval, and will be transmitted to the Common Council next week.

Committee Forced to Cut.

Mr. Pollard, who is subcommittee of the Finance Committee, and familiar, therefore, with the conditions of the treasury of the city, said yesterday that the work of preparing a tentative budget has been extremely difficult.

"Last year," he declared, "we had a cash balance of \$170,000 to carry forward. This year we are short by about \$500. The gross receipts for 1907 were about \$2,260,000. On account of the drop in the value of stocks and bonds, which are taxable, it is impossible to figure the revenue much, if any, larger this year. The requests from all sources amount to \$4,788,000 in round numbers. Deducting the revenue of \$2,300,000 received in 1907, this means that the requests must be cut down about \$2,488,000. Of these requests, 50 per cent. are meritorious and 25 per cent. are necessary. It is at the same time, however, it is absolutely essential that we keep within the income."

"Let us suppose that the receipts for 1908 are about the same as last year—\$2,300,000. From this we must deduct the city's pay roll, which is \$800,000. Interest and redemption amount to \$551,883. This leaves charges for the Water and Gas Departments at \$200,000, leaving the total deductions from revenue \$1,551,883. This means, of course, that the city cannot appropriate more than \$748,117."

Salary Grabbing Strong.

If members of Council generally understood the finances of the city as clearly as members of the Budget Committee, there would be a speedy decrease in the excessive expenditures and requests for additional amounts from the various departments. In spite of the conditions, however, there is an overhauling grab for higher salaries. In 1907 the salary increase amounted to about \$40,000. Figures at present show that in its "municipal ownership" the city is paying an average of 25 per cent. more for wages than is paid by private corporations. Moreover, while corporations and business concerns of one character or another are reducing salaries and expenses, the city has been steadily increasing them, often over the protest of the Finance Committee. The charge has been rather loudly made that this raid on the treasury is due to the spring election. In the same way it is well understood that there would be less demand for larger department appropriations if this were not a campaign year.

With the exception of the Police Commission, every department and committee went before the Finance Committee and urged that sums larger than those appropriated in 1907 be provided for the current year. It was known that the Finance Committee would not grant a salary increase of more than 5 per cent. of the requests are proper, and 25 per cent. necessary, naturally shows that which the department are willing to concede is not actually needed, but which they asked for merely to give the committee something to lop off, so that it might feel satisfied and let the rest go. This method, however, has left the departments open to be criticized that they do not adopt business methods, and the taxpayers naturally rely upon the Finance Committee and the Council to detect and expose the ruse.

The Common Council refused to pass a resolution introduced by Mr. Pollard

CHILD KILLED BY WAGON; MAN FLED

An Eight-Year-Old White Girl Knocked Down in Street—Police After Negro.

In an attempt to run across the street and greet her teacher yesterday morning, little Alice Thomas, Stratton, eight years old, was knocked down and killed by a wagon driven by a negro, who, according to the testimony of some, immediately lashed his horses and disappeared from the scene.

The accident occurred at Twenty-eighth and Leigh streets about 8:30 o'clock, as the little girl, with several of her companions, was going to the kindergarten connected with Springfield School. Seeing her teacher, Mrs. S. R. Doyle, on the opposite side of the street, she tried to get across to her. She was struck just behind the left ear, probably by the pole of the wagon, and death was nearly instantaneous. Mrs. Doyle fainted, and the others were so badly frightened that they could make no move either toward their companion or after the retreating driver.

A negro came from a stable at the corner, and picking up the almost lifeless form of the child, carried it into the school.

Searching for Him.

According to one witness, the driver continued his mad dash as far as the watering trough at Twenty-first and Marshall streets, where he left the wagon and disappeared. Policemen Bryant and Smith, who were on duty afterward that he was not the right one. Andrew Roane, a negro, was arrested by Sergeant Tyler and Policeman Goodman. Two little boys who saw the accident went to the station, but failed to identify him. He was released later in the evening.

The funeral of the little girl will take place at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the house, No. 2319 O Street, and interment will be made in Oakwood Cemetery. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bluff Stratton, one sister and four brothers.

providing that no salaries should be increased this year, the medicine being a little too drastic for those who are going into the primary. On the heels of this new ordinance are being prepared. At a meeting of the Committee on Ordinances, Charter and Reform on Friday night a member stated on his way a measure to increase the pay of an employee of the Health Department, and that, too, when the Board of Health has not suggested or endorsed the application.

CONFERENCE HELD HERE

Seaboard Affairs Discussed, But No Definite Action Taken.

A conference of the receivers, the operating heads of the Seaboard Air Line Railway and their counsel was held in the office of Judge Jeter C. Pritchard in the Federal building yesterday afternoon. Besides the three receivers, Messrs. Warfield, Williams and Duncan, and the counsel, the receivers, Hon. Epps Hunton, Judge L. L. Lewis and Hon. A. Caperton Braxton, there were present Mr. W. A. Gantt, General Manager T. F. Whitely and General Superintendent C. H. Hix. After the conference Judge Pritchard stated that no final action had been taken in relation to the matters pending, the decisions reached being Mr. Hunton said that nothing final had been done, though there was a full discussion of both the law and the facts bearing on the several problems before the receivers. The proceedings were altogether informal.

The operating officials of the road left last night for different places. Mr. Garrett going to Portsmouth in his private car.

OUT FOR FUN

Woman Dressed in Man's Clothes Placed Under Arrest.

"I was just out for a little fun," sobbed Margaret Thomas, of South Church street, yesterday, as she stood in the cell of the Police Station. It was with rather a bad air that she entered; she departed in tears for the First Station, where female prisoners are confined.

She was just out for a little fun," she repeated, as she was taken out of work and told that she had been in trouble before, and the police knew her. With her stood a young man named John Wood, who had been arrested with her. They were caught in Pennington street by Sergeant Brown and Policemen Palmer and Wilkes, who heard that the two were making merry in a barroom in that unwholesome district.

ANNUAL BAL MASQUE

Big Celebration to Be Held at Masonic Temple To-Night.

Indications point to a very large crowd of merry-makers at the Masonic Temple to-night, the occasion being the annual masque of the German societies. A considerable number of the members of the societies, including Messrs. John Lynne, Hettner, B. A. Slump, and others, are expected to be present. A large number of high-class dancing and other amusements will be featured.

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Virginia Delegates to Great Anglican Convention in London Assured of Warm Welcome.

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With two great Anglican conventions this summer, the attention of the Episcopal communion throughout the world will be centered on London and Canterbury. Bishop Robert A. Gibson, of the Diocese of Virginia, expects to be in England and on the Continent for some months. Already he has received many indications that the courtiers of the Episcopal communion in London and other distinguished English visitors during the Episcopal General Convention held here last fall will be amply returned.

He has been invited to make several missionary addresses and to preach while in London, and has also been asked to speak in the historic old church at Gravesend, in which the Indian maiden, Pocahontas, was the wife of John Rolfe, worshipped while in England.

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BOARD ELECTS BOAZ

Health Department Officer Promoted to Assistant Plumbing Inspector.

E. A. Boaz, for the past eighteen months on the sanitary force for the Health Department, was elected Assistant Plumbing Inspector by the Board of Health last night. The new office was created by an ordinance adopted by City Council. W. T. Tuck, also with the department, was elected sanitary officer of the Third District, succeeding Mr. Boaz. The changes become effective on March 1st.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Chairman Doherty announced the following committee appointments: Executive Committee—E. B. Thompson, A. V. Shea, Clyde H. Hall, A. W. Browning, Kemper Reister, E. J. Fagan, John B. Welsh.

Finance Committee—Dr. C. V. Carlington, H. C. Ston, Samuel S. Rosenbort, Dr. C. H. Miller, S. C. Shield, Samuel Steiner, W. A. Sharp.

Committee on Plans—Clyde W. Saunders, W. E. Taylor, E. W. Evans, Stanley B. Taylor, Jeffrey Montague, E. C. Hicks, W. P. Leaman.

Building Committee—W. H. W. Mason, E. B. Thompson, Frank Ferndinand, A. T. Griffith, Augustus Bernier, James H. Bowen, J. Campbell.

Committee on Rules—J. M. N. Allen, Charles B. Brooks, R. Shotton Tiller, E. B. Leaman, J. W. Montague, F. Kemper Reister.

Committee on Printing—Clyde W. Saunders, Walter G. Duke, E. C. Hicks.

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Politicians' Proposition for Earlier Date is Rejected by Close Vote.



Clyde W. Saunders.

Naming Tuesday, April 14th, as the date for the municipal primary, the City Democratic Committee got away for a moment last night from the influence of Clyde W. Saunders and W. P. Leaman, heretofore regarded as the dominant factors in local politics, and refused to order the election for March 26th, because it is hoped that a more extended campaign may induce a better class of candidates to enter the race for City Council. There were more motions and speeches than votes, but when everybody had spoken Pollock Commissioner W. G. Duke's substitute for the Leaman motion was adopted by a vote of 15 to 13.

The proceedings were not exciting. Mr. Leaman was not consulted with any degree of care, for one member offered a resolution to hold the primary on April 26th. Mr. Saunders, advocating the early date, knocked this proposition in the head with the statement that April 26th was Sunday.

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Thomas Raines (colored) was arrested last night on a charge of being a suspicious character. He was heard of assaulting a colored girl. He will be heard this morning. One drunken white man was also locked up last night.

Funeral of Mr. Mannel

The funeral of Mr. Henry J. Mannel, who died at his residence on Everett Street on Sunday night, will take place from the home of Mrs. J. Taylor at 10 o'clock to-night. The services will be conducted at the grave by the Rev. J. K. Jolliff, pastor of Central M. E. Church.

Personal and Briefs

Mrs. John Latham is quite sick at her home at Tenth and Hull streets.

Mrs. Mary J. Taylor is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Smith, No. 25 East Tenth Street.

A social was given at the home of Mr. Roane, at Seventh and Hull streets last night for the benefit of Fifth Street M. E. Church. A large attendance was present, and the evening was most enjoyable.

A February social will be given in the home of Mrs. M. Z. Percival, No. 112 Bainbridge street, on Thursday night for the benefit of Stockton Street Baptist Church.

A Colonial tea will be given at Bainbridge street Baptist Church to-night. Mr. Vernon Friday is critically ill in his home, No. 238 West Eighth Street, with pneumonia.

Little Andrew Dalton is quite sick at his home at Fifth and Hull streets.

Mrs. Waymack, mother of Policeman W. E. Waymack, was reported yesterday to be critically ill at her home, Bainbridge street near Fourteenth Street.